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SUBJECT : Withdrawal from Issue of **Application No. 10/537,957**  
  
Applicant(s) : Yves Manin, et al.  
Application No. : 10/537,957  
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The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 7,581,588 and an issue date of September 1, 2009.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant. Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of September 1, 2009:

"All reference to Patent No. 7,581,588 to Yves Manin, et al. of Texas for DOWNHOLE SEPARATION OF OIL AND WATER appearing in the Official Gazette of September 1, 2009 should be deleted since no patent was granted."

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